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In re Appln. of: **Robert R. Mantell**
Appln. No.: **10/829,485**
Filed: **April 22, 2004**
For: **MIXED-GAS INSUFFLATION SYSTEM**
Attorney Docket No: **7034/110**

Examiner: **Mendez, Manuel A.**
Art Unit: **7034/110**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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TRANSMITTAL

Attached is/are:

☒ Transmittal Letter; Response to Restriction/Election Requirement.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE TO
RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Election Requirement dated March 26, 2008, Applicant has filed this Response by Certificate of Mailing. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to grant allowance of this Application in view of the following remarks.